



Doom, Doldrums, and Fear <Hard Times> (Part I)

A Muddy Boots Production □ Sound Painting by [Tenali Hrenak](#)

Going where sneakers never will...

Overview

Life, at times, can sure be tough. Any number of things can spiral us downward, from the passing of friends or family, to economic hardship, the wrath of politics, loneliness, or maybe you just stubbed your toe. Whatever the reason, it happens. Host Troubled Voyage Tenali invites us to channel such feelings through sound, snippet, and song. So, at the very least, spending some time in the bleakness, we may arise anew, like a phoenix from the fire.

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Track List

A Side

1. Jimpson & Group - Murderer's Home □ *Parchman Farm: Photographs And Field Recordings: 1947-1959*
2. Charlie McCoy & Bo Carter - The Northern Starvers Are Return □ *Selected Sides [Box set]*
3. Bessie Jones - May Be the Last Time, I Don't Know □ *So Glad I'm Here : Songs and Games From the Georgia Sea Islands*
4. Tiger - Let Them Fight For Ten Thousand Years □ *West Indian Rhythm*
5. Elder Curry - Memphis Flu □ *People Take Warning [Disc 2] Man Vs. Nature*
6. Blind Willie Johnson - When The War Was On □ *Blues Images Presents Classic Blues Songs From 1920's [Disc 13]*
7. Charley Patton - Dry Well Blues □ *People Take Warning [Disc 2] Man Vs. Nature*
8. Rev. Edward W. Clayborn - Let That Liar Alone □ *The Roots Of Rap: Classic Recordings From The 1920's And 30's*
9. Gid Tanner & His Skillet Lickers - Don't You Hear Jerusalem Moan □ *And The Skillet Lickers Vol. 1*
10. Barbecue Bob - Bad Time Blues □ *Hard Times Come Again No More: Early American Rural Songs Of Hard Times And Hardships Vol. 2*
11. The Growler - Nazi Spy Ring □ *West Indian Rhythm*
12. Richard "Rabbitt" Brown - The Sinking Of The Titanic □ *The Sinking Of The Titanic*

B Side

1. Dora Alexander - Let God's Moon Alone □ *Music of New Orleans, Vol. 1: Music of the Streets: Music of Mardi Gras*
2. Lane Hardin - Hard Time Blues □ *Hard Times Come Again No More: Early American Rural Songs Of Hard Times And Hardships Vol. 1*
3. The Growler - Hitler Demands □ *West Indian Rhythm*
4. Blind Alfred Reed - How Can A Poor Man Stand Such Times And Live □ *Blind Alfred Reed: Appalachian Visionary*
5. Furry Lewis - Kassie Jones Part 1 □ *People Take Warning [Disc 1] - Man Vs. Machine*
6. Jimpson - No More, My Lord □ *Goodbye, Babylon - Deliverance Will Come [Disc 2]*
7. Red Nelson - When The Soldiers Get Their Bonus □ *Ain't Times Hard [Disc 2]*
8. Eddie Head & His Family - Down on Me □ *Goodbye, Babylon - Judgment [Disc 3]*
9. Elder Curry - Hard Times □ *Hard Times Come Again No More: Early American Rural Songs Of Hard Times And Hardships Vol. 1*
10. Mississippi Sheiks - The World Is Going Wrong □ *Stop and Listen*
11. Frank Hutchison - Last Scene Of The Titanic □ *People Take Warning [Disc 1] - Man Vs. Machine*

Instrumental Backing (Bed Music)

A Side Intro: R. Keenan Lawler - High Tower Bells For Loren Connor □ *Imaginational Anthem, Vol. Three*

A Said End: Sharron Kraus - Looking For The Hermit's Cave □ *Imaginational Anthem Vol 2*

B Side End: R. Keenan Lawler - High Tower Bells For Loren Connor □ *Imaginational Anthem, Vol. Three*

Notes

- ❖ Excerpts from The Monsters Are Due On Maple Street, an episode of the American television anthology series *The Twilight Zone* + the film *The 27th Day* (1957)
- ❖ Photo by [Edward S. Curtis](#)
- ❖ If you made it this far, well, I just want to remind y'all to keep the spaghetti flying!
- ❖ *Politics is the art of looking for trouble, finding it everywhere, diagnosing it incorrectly and applying the wrong remedies.* -Groucho Marx
- ❖ A shark is the only fish that can blink with both eyes.
- ❖ Seriously, I can't thank you enough for listening to Muddy Boots ⇒ ^5 !
- ❖ Over 'n out